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NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT
June 17, 1938

Miss Kathleen Parlow,
South Mountain,
Pittsfield, Mass.

Dear Miss Parlow:

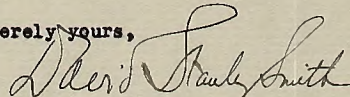
I was delighted to receive your letter in which you accept our invitation to take part in the New Haven Symphony concert of February 28, the fee being \$125.00. Just what you will play can be worked out later. Mr. Kortschak, who will conduct this concert, is in Hawaii visiting his son and daughter-in-law. It is splendid of you to do this, and our audience will be delighted to see you again on the Woolsey Hall stage.

Turning to the matter of my Quartet, if it should be put on one of the South Mountain programs this summer I hope it will not be on any time between about July 25 and August 25, roughly speaking, for Mrs. Smith and I will probably be on a Western trip at that time. It would be a pity if it should be given without my having an opportunity to hear it, especially as I have never heard it in its printed form, which is greatly revised from the original manuscript. Do not press this matter, for I do not want to make myself a nuisance to my friends. It may be, however, that you would enjoy giving the piece. If you and the others wish to work up a composition of mine that gives less trouble than the Quartet, and which in a couple of recent performances seems to be my most successful piece of chamber music with an audience, try the piano Quintet, which is published by the Oxford University Press. Mr. Johansen, whom I immensely enjoyed meeting the other day, might like to play the piano part. If you by some chance would like to have a copy of this I should be glad to forward you one.

With kind regards to my friends at South Mountain, and especially to yourself,

I am,

Sincerely yours,



THE UNIVERSITY
KIMBALL LYMAN
STUDENT ASSOCIATION

June 17, 1935

Miss Catherine Taylor,
South Mountain,
Pittsfield, Mass.

Dear Miss Taylor:

I was delighted to receive your letter in which you suggest our invitation to give part in the New Haven Symphony concert of February 28, for the price \$100.00. Now what you will say can be voted out later. Mr. Horvath, who will conduct this concert, is in New York visiting his son and daughter-in-law. It is possible that you or his wife, and our relations will be delighted to see you again on the New York Hall stage.

Turning to the matter of my quarter, it is given to me on one of the South Mountain programs this summer. I hope it will be on one of the programs about July 25 and August 25, roughly speaking, for the South Mountain and I will probably be on a Western trip at that time. It would be a pity if it would be given without my having an opportunity to hear it, especially as I have never heard it in its original form, which is greatly revised from the original manuscript. Do not stress this matter, for I do not want to make a special demand on my friends. It may be, however, that the singing and playing the piece. If you and the others wish to work on a composition of mine that gives some trouble from the musical, and which is a result of recent performances seems to be my most successful piece of composition and with my husband, my friend which is published by the Oxford University Press. Mr. Johnson, whom I formerly enjoyed meeting the other day, might like to play the piece with me. If you by some chance would like to have a copy of this I should be glad to forward you one.

With kind regards to my friends at South Mountain, and especially to yourself,

I am,

Sincerely yours,